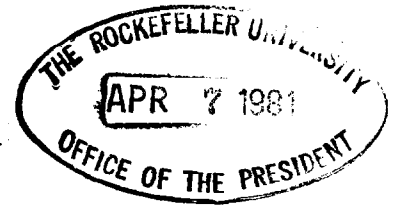


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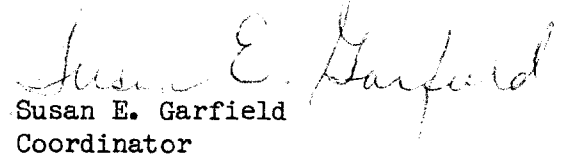
Dear Dr. Lederberg:

A request has been received by us from Dr. Isac Halbrecht, Director of the B. Gattengno Research Institute of Human Reproduction and Fetal Development, Hasharon Hospital, Israel, for a residency at the Rockefeller Foundation's Study and Conference Center in Bellagio, Italy. If invited to the Center, Dr. Halbrecht would be working on a study entitled "Immunological Factors in Normal and Disturbed Pregnancies."

It is mandatory within the provisions of the U.S. Tax Reform Act of 1969 for this organization, as a private foundation, to seek independent, objective opinions concerning the merit of the work and the competence of the applicants. Therefore, we would appreciate any comments you could send us regarding his capabilities and his proposed project. Your reply, of course, will be kept confidential.

For your information, I have enclosed a copy of the latest brochure which describes the residency program and the application procedures.

Sincerely yours,


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Enclosure